



# Magic Dragon Preschool

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Hello Everyone,

We all had a great week learning about our community. There was lots of interest in the building site opposite preschool, Yellow group drew a joint large map of our journeys to preschool, Blue group drew their houses, we talked about different jobs people have in our community, there was lots of post box writing fun, the children enjoyed the bus role play which took us from Southmead to Dinosaur land and on to Cornwall, there was lots of weighing opportunities in the greengrocer role play, so much fun went on at the laundrette's washing socks and we heard lots of capacity vocabulary in the café in the water tray outside.

After half term, we are going to be thinking about people who help us in our community along with some work on shapes. We will have a firefighter role play, shaving foam café, junk modelling

**To help your child at home this week, take a break! We all think everyone needs a relaxing half term. Talk to your child about relaxing and find ways to do this together. It could be doing some breathing exercises (ask them to share what we do at preschool) or it could be doing an online kids yoga session together and there is always going out for a calming walk amongst nature!**

As ever please do look at photos of all of the learning that has gone on this week on Facebook and Instagram.

<https://www.instagram.com/magicdragonpreschoolbristol/>

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Have a fantastic break everyone and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday after half term.

From Niki and the Magic Dragon team

## Dates for your diary:

Open Morning for new children on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June

Start of term for preschool is TUESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021 Preschool is closed on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June.

End of term = Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July All children are welcome to join us on this day and parents can join us at 11:45 for an end of year show. **Preschool will finish at 12 o' clock on that day.**

A reminder:

We hope everyone stays safe and well over half term. Please do keep us informed if your child has a positive COVID test result over the half term holiday to ensure that we can inform both children and staff if there is a need for anyone to isolate. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

## Summer fundraiser

At our committee meeting this term, it was raised by a parent that it would be good to do a summer fundraiser. If you have any ideas or would like to be involved in any capacity, please speak to Katie at drop off or pick up or feel free to use the WhatsApp chat to start off the conversation.

## Things to try to remember next week:

- If you would like to, please sign up to help on our parent rota. A doodle link is attached with this newsletter. There is no charge this term for those that cannot or do not want to help out.
- Please put sun cream on your child before preschool. There is a bottle for everyone to use in the bottom drawer of our registration trolley if you forget.
- Please return any outstanding learning journals on your child's first day back after half term.

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## Snack next week:

Breads and spreads, fruit and rice cakes and breadsticks and fruit.



Please spread the word about our **Open day on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June**. This is a great opportunity for parents who are looking for a preschool place for September or next year to come and have a look around Magic Dragon and get a feel for our preschool. Flyer attached to the newsletter for you to share with friends.